

40. The solution according to claim 37[16], wherein the solution contains substantially no further iron/aminopolycarboxylic acid complex.
41. The solution according to claim 37[16], wherein the bleach bath contains no ammonium ions.
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42. The solution according to claim 37, wherein there is at least 80 mol% of materials having a bleaching proportion.
43. The solution according to claim 37, wherein there is at least 90 mol% of materials having a bleaching proportion.
44. The solution according to claim 37, wherein the bleach bath has a total quantity of silver of at least 6 gm².
45. The solution according to claim 37, wherein the bleach bath has a total quantity of silver of at least 7.5 gm².
46. The solution according to claim 37, wherein the bleach bath uses materials in which at least 6.3 grains of silver must be bleached during the processing.
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See Appendix I for the changes. The term underlined was added to the claim and the term bracketed was canceled from the claim.

REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the amendment and following remarks. The applicants noticed an error with the dependency. The new claims were inadvertently dependent upon cancelled claim 16 instead of newly added claim 37.

No additional fee is required for this response. If there are any additional fees due